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March 4, 2004

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
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**Re: UL-2 and UL-4 Reservoir
Lake Hermitage Field (5356)
Plaquemines Parish, LA**

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Stone Energy Corporation, to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters concerning the UL-2 and UL-4 Reservoirs in the Lake Hermitage Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

- 1) To determine that the UL-2 and UL-4 Sands are economically depleted of hydrocarbons in order that an exception to Statewide Order 29-B, Section XV 2.2D may be granted.
- 2) To allow the applicant, Stone Energy Corporation, to utilize its LLDSB SWD #007 well (SN 216817) to inject produced salt water into the UL-2 and UL-4 Reservoirs with a proposed injection zone from 11,160' - 11,713'. The UL-2 Reservoir is defined as that sand occurring between the depths of 11,170' - 11,178' and the UL-4 Reservoir is defined as that sand occurring between the depths of 11,616' - 11,646' in the Stone Energy Corporation, Lake Hermitage Field, Well #007, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana. Please refer to Injection and Mining Application #023347.
- 3) To consider any and all other matters that may be pertinent to this application in accordance with LAC 129.B.2.d.

A copy of this application with the attached plat has been sent to all Interested Parties, Interested Owners, and Represented Parties as shown on the attached list, and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation.

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Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$755.00 payable to the Office of Conservation; representative of the required hearing application fee and a certified copy of the Public Notice published in the parish newspaper, *The Plaquemines Gazette*.

Very truly yours,



Lois A. Edwards

Attachment(s)

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